



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: A. Hermann et al.

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For:

METHOD, COMPUTER SYSTEM, AND COMPUTER
PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR MONITORING SERVICES
OF AN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ENVIRONMENT

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In reply to a final Office Action dated April 5, 2005, hereinafter "the Office Action", the period for response having been extended to August 5, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the following response:

Listing of the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.